

STARR RENOMINATED

He Was Elected One Year Ago by the Republicans and Re-endorsed by the Democrats.

ENTHUSIASTIC CONVENTIONS.

They Were Held In St. Joseph Last Night—Forbes the Republican Candidate.

ST. JOSEPH'S CITY TICKETS.

Republican.
Mayor—JAMES FORBES.
Clerk—H. W. DAVIS.
Treasurer—A. L. HEART.

Democratic.
Mayor—JOHN STARR.
Clerk—METHIAS WEBBER.
Treasurer—JOHN FREUND.

Mayor John Starr, of St. Joseph, made the chief executive of that city one year ago by the republicans, was last night nominated for re-election by the democratic-peoples-union-silver convention.

This incident the mayor himself considered unusual and he referred to it in a speech delivered by him after his nomination, as a strange fact. He classed himself as one of the advance agents of democratic success and declared he had no pledges to make; that he believed the people regarded him as possessing excellent backbone to take a firm stand against legislation which jeopardized their interest and that no pledges were necessary.

While Mayor Starr was being lionized by the democrats last night the republicans in convention separated only by a floor—both conventions being held in the city hall, the democrats up stairs and the republicans below in the council chamber—were nervously considering the selection of a man for mayor who was sufficiently strong to bury their choice of a year ago so deep in the avalanche of ballots that he would never be heard from again. They decided that James Forbes, director of the Union banking company and an alderman, was capable of this feat and they nominated him on the first ballot.

The Democrats in Convention.

The peoples-union-silver-city convention was called to order by Chairman James O'Hara of the city committee. "Who will you have for chairman, gentlemen?" inquired Mr. O'Hara. "O'Hara," "O'Hara," came from a hundred throats and the motion which installed Mr. O'Hara in the chair was put by Thomas Walker. Cheers for a speech continued to be heard until the chairman assured the enthusiastic throng that like time for speeches had not yet arrived. James Schuler was selected secretary.

When the nominations for mayor were declared in order a feeble voice from the fourth ward delegation named Mayor Starr. The secretary was called to the chair and Chairman O'Hara in a ringing speech supported the nomination, declaring that there was but one man in St. Joseph who could lead the democratic party to victory and that man was John Starr. As the name was pronounced there was deafening cheers for the mayor. The nomination was made by acclamation and in response to the repeated and vigorous cries for a speech the mayor ascended the platform and was introduced by Chairman O'Hara as the next mayor of St. Joseph. The few remarks of the mayor were applauded with great vehemence. Six ballots were necessary to decide the contest for clerkship. The candidates were Henry Wurz, Frank Page, Methias Webber and Thomas Ruffe. Webber and Wurz were in the lead and the hours remained about even until the sixth ballot when all other names were withdrawn and Webber was nominated with a majority of two votes. John Freund was nominated treasurer.

MARBLER

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Water St., Benton Harbor, Michigan. The lowest prices and the largest stock in either city. All kinds of common, both gray and colored, china painted, both glazed and unglazed, china bull's eyes, glazed, hollow black and white, imitation agates or falsies, imitation agates laminated, jaspers or clouded glazed, glass threads all fine, glass brandied, glass opals, glass opals striped, imitation coral, imitation coral, imitation agates, onyx agates, tiger eyes, glass threads all sizes; also a large stock of

UNREDEEMED GOLD
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at one-third value, 61 solid gold rings.

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of all kinds for sale at the very lowest prices on earth. See my sewing machines. The best Singer in the world for \$15. A little money buys a wagon load of goods now a days at Jackson's. Inspection invited.

Charles A. Jackson,
Dealer in almost everything.
Raw furs bought until
the 1st of June.
Money to loan on all kinds of personal property.

urer by acclamation, and James O'Hara Louis Hoebl and T. A. Walker were named as city committee.

The Republican Convention.

City Committee John L. Merchant called the republican convention to order and L. C. Fyfe was honored with the chairmanship. Brief remarks betraying hope and confidence in the republican victory were made by Mr. Fyfe and the business of the convention began. The enthusiasm was no less ardent, no less sincere and no less demonstrative than was witnessed in the democratic convention. I. W. Allen was elected secretary and E. S. Kelley, Dr. Doyle and E. F. Platt were appointed a committee on credentials. The tellers were Montgomery Shepard and Charles Stratton.

The extent to which sentiment in favor of James Forbes for the mayoralty had crystallized was expressed in significant language by the result of the first ballot, an informal one. Mr. Forbes received 46 votes, N. A. Hamilton 6, Dr. Scott 1, blank 1. The informal ballot was made formal and Mr. Forbes, veteran alderman and capable business man, was declared the nominee.

H. W. Davis had no votes to spare when he was conceded the victory in the race for clerk. There were three starters in this event and they all finished. A close second to Davis was Frank Napier and the third candidate was A. A. Potter, now holding that office. The candidates received 18 votes apiece on the first ballot. Potter continued to lose and Mr. Davis to gain until the fourth ballot when the former had two to his credit, Davis 28 and Napier 24. Five ballots were taken but the third one was thrown out because of an error. Mr. Davis eloquently responded to the urgent and persistent appeals for a "speech."

The nomination of treasurer was given A. L. Heart on the first ballot. His opponent was Samuel Dunbar and the contest ended like this: Heart 33, Dunbar 21.

L. J. Merchant, Sam Zekind, John Walker, George Hupp and W. F. Freitag compose the city committee. Before adjournment Candidate Forbes, who lays no claim to oratorical powers, modestly thanked the convention for the honor shown him.

ST. JOSEPH'S BIG GUN.

It Arrived Over the West Michigan This Morning.

The ordinance, acquired by the St. Joseph G. A. R. post, arrived this morning from the Brooklyn Navy yards over the West Michigan railway and as soon as possible will be unloaded from the flat car where it now reposes and assigned a position in the Lake Front park.

It is a tremendously large piece. The barrel is 14 feet long and the breech is 8 feet in circumference. All day long crowds of people have visited the West Michigan yards to view the cannon. The committee of G. A. R. men assigned the work of locating the big gun will not permit the council to decide where it shall be placed. There are objections to be a variance of opinion on this question and to avoid any unpleasantness the committee will pick out the site.

The cannon will add considerably to the ornamentation of the park and the citizens will never have occasion to begrudge the small expense connected with the acquisition of the same.

READ "THE NEWS."

Issue of March 25 Contained Candidate Miller's Answer.

EDITOR EVENING NEWS: Referring to the article of "A. R." of last evening I respectfully refer him to my address to the convention on the 24 which answered all the questions he asked and which was published in THE NEWS.

J. J. MILLER,
Candidate for mayor.

TAKEN TO PRISON.

William Canton Enters Upon His Four Years' Sentence.

William Canton, sentenced to four years at Jackson, was taken to prison by Deputy Sheriff Tennant today. Irving Jones and James Prestyman, sentenced to four years and six months, respectively, at the Iowa prison yesterday by Officers Tennant and Len Ferguson.

Probate Court.

Estate of Mortimer L. Phillips, deceased, license granted to Charles R. Phillips, administrator of said estate, to sell the lands of deceased at public sale for the payment of claims against said estate.

Estate of Pearl F. Costello, minor. Court refused to grant a license to sell the lands of said minor.

Estate of Adam Pule, deceased, the will of deceased is to be contested. Victor M. Gore appeared for contestants and James O'Hara for the proponents of the will and the hearing was adjourned to Friday, April 2 at 10 a. m.

Estate of Jay D. and Frank H. Redding, minors, license granted to George L. Parvot to sell the lands of said minors and invest the proceeds at interest.

Estate of Catharine Boughton, deceased, license granted to E. H. Kelley, administrator of said estate, to sell the lands of deceased at private sale for the payment of claims against said estate.

BY THE MAYOR'S VOTE

The Salary of the City Treasurer Was Reduced from \$50 to \$40 Per Month.

THE NEW STREET RAILWAY.

Council Adjourned Until This Evening to Consider the Franchise for Eastman Springs Road.

A motion was made at the council meeting last night to instruct the ordinance committee to prepare a new ordinance which would reduce the salary of the city treasurer to \$40 per month from \$50 to which amount it was raised at the meeting previous. This motion was supported by E. Brown, S. Brown, McDonald and Merrill, and was voted against by Cole, Butzbach, Volheim and Ward—4 and 3, and Mayor Bell declared the motion carried. A motion to put the ordinance on its immediate passage then came. There was another tie vote as follows: Yea, E. Brown, Morrill, McDonald, Ward; nay, S. Brown, Butzbach, Cole and Volheim. The mayor again decided the tie and declared the motion carried. Then the vote came on the passage of the amended ordinance which resulted in a tie again, the members voting the same way as on the previous question. Mayor Bell shouldered the responsibility of putting the salary back to \$50 without the least hesitation and declared the ordinance passed.

There was a good deal of discussion upon the matter. McDonald led the forces opposed to paying the treasurer \$50 and Volheim was the champion of that salary. The latter alderman declared that \$50 per month was too cheap when it was considered that the bonds of a treasurer were compelled to furnish would cost \$900 in a trust company. McDonald replied that a treasurer did not furnish bonds, but that his friends did and they cost the treasurer nothing. S. Brown declared he scarcely knew how to vote. If the legislature allowed the city to collect summer tax this year then \$50 was cheap enough and if all the tax was collected at once then \$40 he thought sufficient. The mayor thought that \$50 was enough anyway.

The street-railroad franchise for the new line to be constructed to Eastman Springs would have been granted last night but for the opposition of Colonel Ward who wanted to give the property owners a chance to make any protest they desired. Before this ordinance can be passed the provisions of a previous ordinance must be repealed, which the city attorney said can be arranged for in a few minutes. A meeting of the council will be held tonight to consider it.

The franchise asked for is eminently fair and in the discussion the opinion of J. S. Morton was called for and he said this was the most favorable ordinance to the city he had ever seen and if there were any objections his study of its provision had not brought them out.

The franchise is asked for in the names of Seely McCord and Oscar Westcott under the name of the Benton Harbor & Eastman Springs street railway company and is to run 30 years. The gauge of the track is to be 4 feet and 8 1/2 inches wide and to be put down according to the grade of the streets. Should the city establish a new grade the company at its own expense is to make its tracks conform to the new grade. Where there is pavement the company agrees to leave the streets in as good condition as at present and in case other streets are paved the company will pave its tracks inside and 10 inches outside of tracks with same material. Horse power to be used for two years, after that electricity. If the company fails to pave according to agreement the city shall do the work and spread a tax against the property of the company for the same. The company agrees to plank with three-inch plank out to Nowlen avenue and to keep tracks in good repair at all times. In case of the laying of sewers or water pipes, etc., the company at its own expense agrees to take up and replace its tracks. Trolley wires will be

laid 18 feet from the ground and the poles kept painted. The city is given the use of poles for the alarm system. Rails with 3 1/2 inch flange are to be used out to Nowlen avenue and beyond that point "T" rails. The snow plowed from the tracks will not be left in ridges but equally distributed over the street. Cars to run every 45 minutes the year around and every half hour on Sunday. Fare not to exceed 6 cents. The right is given any other street railway company to cross his tracks provided the company so crossing shall bear all the expense. The road to be completed by August 1. If the company fails to carry out its agreement the council is empowered to declare the franchise null and void.

The section describing the route of the road reads as follows:

"Commencing with a double track at intersection of Water street and Fifth street, from thence running southwest, with double track to the intersection of Pipestone street and Main street, so as to not interfere directly with the passage upon the Benton Harbor & St. Joseph street railway company's tracks under the rights and privileges granted the same, from thence with the privilege of a double track running easterly along East Main street as nearly in center thereof as may thereon may be operated and passed to Fourth street, from Fourth street easterly along center of East Main street with permission to construct a single track only thence to the east limit of the city of Benton Harbor with permission to construct a turnout from their main line between Summit street and Nowlen avenue."

All the aldermen seemed enthusiastic over the road with the possible exception of Colonel Ward and the ordinance is likely to pass tonight.

The St. Joseph Valley road was ordered to open the culvert under the Big Four tracks which the construction of their road stopped up within 48 hours. The company was also ordered to sheet pile the banks of Ox creek where lots were being inundated.

PEDESTAL TICKET.

Democrats and Silver Men Combine Against Republicans.

EAU CLAIRE, March 30.—The republican and democratic caucuses for Pipestone township were held in the town hall Saturday and the following officers were nominated:

Republican—Supervisor, Roy Clark; clerk, Homer Huse; treasurer, Edward Burton; school inspector, Warren Crane; highway commissioner, Orin Kugley; justice of the peace, Roy Hathaway.

Democratic—Supervisor, Charles Haskins; clerk, Charles R. Curtis; treasurer, Walter Summers; school inspector, Charles Sutherland; highway commissioner, W. M. Perry; justice of the peace, W. L. Perry.

The latter ticket instead of being plain democratic bears the suggestive cognomen, democratic-peoples-silver ticket.

Rev. L. W. Earl of Benton Harbor delivered an excellent discourse in the M. E. church Sunday evening. Although well advanced in years Mr. Earl has lost none of his old time vigor. His daughter Miss Millie accompanied her father.

SMACKS OF SARCASM.

"Tom Peggem" Wants to Kill a Competitor.

EDITOR EVENING NEWS: We desire to enter a protest against the reprehensible actions of one Sam Winkle, who recently opened up a new shoe shop in this city. Although this party has had an abundance of opportunity to arrange matters otherwise, he has with malice most foul, and in utter disregard of public sentiment, purposely delayed the opening until last week.

There is much to ensure in the conduct of Mr. Winkle. Despite the fact that he once lost a desirable situation he utterly refuses to crawl off and die but on the contrary insists upon remaining in the city and pursuing the manufacture and sale of shoes. We would like to welcome him with more hopeful words but a strict regard for truth requires that we give the stern facts.

There is no necessity for another shoe shop in Benton Harbor. While we would like to see Mr. Winkle established in some business for which he is fitted and where he would not enter into competition with us there is no hope for his success in competition with the brainy men now in the field. We do not profess the gift of prophecy but we see no show for anybody but ourselves. It is true we entertained the same dire forebodings when a News shoe-maker opened up and truly regret that our theories met with reversal in fact, and since then our own shop has been merely a rat-hole in which we have poured the earnings of years. We feel quite certain that it will be different with Mr. Winkle and therefore take occasion to caution his foot friends against wearing goods of his manufacture, or otherwise encouraging his folly.

The principal thing now is to dispose of Winkle in order that we may pursue in peace our efforts to secure a consulate or telegraph the dark horse in the postoffice contest.

JOHN ROYD,
Fremont, Mich., March 10.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS are for sale at drugists all through the state of Michigan. If your druggist is out, write enclosing fifty cents in stamps or coin to the DODD'S MEDICINE CO., Buffalo, N. Y., for a box, which will be mailed prepaid.

ABOUT THE COUNTY.

WATERVILLE, March 30.—E. P. Haynes will build a large house on the lot he recently purchased of P. O. Rowe.

Mrs. Mary Cook has traded her 13 acre farm west of town to John Wise for one house and three village lots in town.

Mrs. E. J. Whitmore will return from Manitowish, next week, where she has been visiting her daughter.

J. Hammett Jr. will build a house on the vacant lot east of S. M. Huskell's residence.

Tom Garry, of Holland, visited his relatives at this place last week.

F. H. Merrifield is in Chicago this week.

The C. C. C. comedy company which play "Under the Spell" and consist of home talent, from North Columbia, played in Everett's hall Saturday night to a full house. The play was so soft that before the entertainment was half through the people got so disgusted and out of patience that they left except a few who wanted to hear the whole play.

Mrs. O. Hammett and little child have returned from Chicopee Falls, Mass.

Dr. W. T. Bertram, of Letter's Ford, Ind., has moved to this village into the W. E. Walden building.

The new double-deck steamer of J. Lotteridge at Paw Paw Lake is completed.

William Ryers is on the sick list.

Dandruff is an exclamation from the pores of the skin that spreads and dries, forming scurf and causing the hair to fall out. Hall's Hair Renewer cures it.

Owing to a slight misunderstanding with the weather service we will continue our Dress Goods Sale for one week more at the Chicago Bargain Store, Leaders of Low and Popular prices, 105 East Main street.

The pretty millinery parlors of Mrs. Dorothy Collins, 132 Pipestone street, will contain a magnificent variety of the most fashionable and becoming creations in the millinery art next Saturday, April 3. This is the day set for the spring opening and ladies who realize the importance and satisfaction of appearing in style will visit Mrs. Collins.

Most wonderful invention of the age, Edison's life motion pictures and concert phonograph will be on exhibition at Conkey's hall March 30, 31 and April 1. Admission 15 cents.

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A writ of Garnishment.

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Another Grave Robbery of the Sort We Like to Hear About.

John Boyd, of Fremont, Now Able to Skid Timber With the Best of Them—Lately Laid Up With Kidney Disease.

FREMONT, Mich., March 10.—Four miles from here lives John Boyd, who has experienced a remarkable cure of Kidney Disease, so remarkable that your correspondent drove out to interview him. I found him at the railroad station of Fremont, Mich., about a mile from his home, hard at work, "skidding timber."

"Well," said I, "this is a pretty good day's work for a man who was lately dying from Kidney trouble?"

"Yes," he replied, "I consider DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS have done me a world of good. They certainly have made a new man of me, and I have not yet finished the third box. When I began taking them," continued Mr. Boyd, "I had a weak back, and was suffering from extreme soreness in the back and groin. The pills, as you see, must have been of great benefit, for I could not be doing this heavy work."

I asked him if he would make a signed statement for publication, and he consented. It is necessarily short, as he was working in the open, but it is sufficient to verify what has been said of the cure:

"I have been interviewed by your representative, and my statement made to him in regard to DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS I am willing should be used for publication."

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500 prs. Misses' Hose, size 7 to 8 1/2, at 60 a pair
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500 prs. Ladies' Seamless Hose at 11c.

100 HOT WATER BAGS AT 69 TO 79 CENTS.

Choice Havana cigars at 4c, 4 for 15c, regular 10c cigar.

Best all-wool extra super carpets at 17c yd

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A lot of prints at 34 cents per yard.

Terms strictly C. C. SWEET.
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Wednesday, March 31

We will show 10 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Hose, regular made, double sole all sizes at 10 cents a pair, regular price 25 c. 25 dozen Fast Black Hose at 8 cents a pair. Regular price 10c. Ladies' all silk hose, fine ribbed top at 67 cents. Regular price \$1.00. Ladies' Lisle Thread, silk finish, white and black sole, choice this date at 42 cents. 20 dozen Ladies' Summer Corsets at 25 cents each.

SNAPS IN GROCERIES:

Colo. Rio coffee 19c.
8 bars Santa Claus soap, 25c.
22 lbs. granulated sugar, \$1.
Spring wheat flour, \$4.00 blbl.
Fresh eggs per dozen 10c.
Armour's family lard, 5c.

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As Making Money by Spending it.

AND THOSE WHO WATCH THE MANY CHANCES WE OFFER AND IMPROVE THEM, ARE THE GAINERS BY IT.

We also handle carpets by samples and can save you Big Money on a carpet.

Call and see the large variety, and get our astonishing low prices.

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Our stock of Ladies' Suits is in, and from now on we intend to have our line so complete that it will be folly to think of looking elsewhere. All the newest shades and fabrics made in the latest styles, beautiful hanging skirts, jackets that fit like a glove, and such careful attention paid to the lining and finishing, that it seems incredible that such costumes as these can be sold for so little money.

We advise your calling early so that you may find the choicest values yet in stock.

The difficulties of dressing well and comfortably in this between season's month will vanish when our stock is examined.

JAMES POUND.

DO YOU KNOW

That money is at a Premium and shoes below Par at

PECK & WELLS'

If you have got a dollar, get it into a PAIR OF SHOES.

If you don't want them now YOU SOON WILL.

We are bound to get our stock into money, to do this, we have given up the Idea of PROFIT and in many cases have cut the FIRST COST in half.

Sizes won't last long. Who will be first

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THE BEST GASOLINE
THE BEST OILS
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THE BEST LEAD
THE BEST STOVES

Remember the new place, 126 Pipestone street,

Benton Harbor Hardware.

CHARLES H. BABCOCK.

The Best Wall Finish "PLASTICO."

LEVEES GIVE AWAY.

More Than Two Thousand Four Hundred Million Bushels.

Washington, March 30.—The world's wheat crop for 1936 is 2,428,392,000 bushels. This fact will be officially announced by the secretary of agriculture in a report to be issued this week. This important report will also cover the quality and distribution of the corn, wheat and oats grown in the United States during the past year. Although the total wheat crop is 118,000,000 bushels less than in 1935, it is larger than earlier estimates indicated. This is largely due to an increase of 59,000,000 bushels in European Russia, as shown in the final estimate of the Central Statistical Bureau over the November estimate of the minister of agriculture of that country.

The crop of 1936 is the smallest for six years. The comparative figures giving the agricultural department in these cases are official whenever available. Regarding the distribution of the wheat crop of the United States for 1936 the report will say: "The increase in price which began in the fall of 1936 so stimulated sales that many parts of the country are now left with only sufficient for seed. All sections report an exceptionally small percentage on hand, the general average being 26.5 against 26.3 last year, showing but 83,000,000 bushels in farmers' hands March 1. Unusually little of the crop of 1936 remains—but 3 per cent, against 4.7 per cent of the 1934 crop, no wheat a year ago."

CHICAGO'S MURDER MYSTERY.

Further Hints in the Catch-Basin at the Dunning Institution.

Chicago, March 30.—All the remains of the man so mysteriously murdered and then tossed into the Dunning catch-basin have been brought to light. The skull, a second shoe, of bicycle pattern, a bicycle stocking, a needle and a vest were fished out of the basin yesterday morning. The lower jaw, which had become detached from the skull, was found yesterday afternoon. The stocking after being washed and dried was found to be green instead of black. Upon the tie was deciphered the name of the maker, Termination & Co. No other marks which might lead to a solution of the mystery were discovered.

The skull, under the examination of Dr. George W. Johnston, threw a faint light upon the mystery. He believes the murdered man was about 35 years. The high forehead indicates he was a man of perhaps more than ordinary intelligence. The joining lines of the skull were faint, denoting, according to his theory, that the deceased was no longer a youth. With age the lines are supposed to grow fainter. The extent to which the tooth was worn down helped, too, in his conclusion. There were twelve teeth left in the upper jaw. The left eye tooth was missing, as was also the last right molar. The first, fifth and sixth molars on the right side were badly decayed, as was the fourth molar on the left side.

CONSTANTIN ARRIVES AT LARISSA.

His Wife is with Him and They Are Given an Oration.

Larissa, March 30.—Crown Prince Constantin, commander-in-chief of the Greek army in Thessaly; his wife, the Princess Sophia; Prince Nicholas of Greece, and the Princess Marie of Greece, arrived here yesterday. The whole garrison was under arms to receive the crown prince and his party. The streets were thronged with people and early decorated with flags, the windows were filled with spectators, and many ladies threw flowers in the path of the princesses.

The crown prince was welcomed by the superior military and civil authorities, and the crown prince, in word the enthusiastic acclamation of the crowd present, reviewed the troops, which were drawn up at the railroad station. While the princesses proceeded to the cathedral, where a Te Deum was sung.

London, March 30.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Larissa today says that the school boys there are being armed with rifles, bayonets and ammunition. It is no uncommon sight to see bands of 12 and 14 fully equipped.

Whisky Prices Advanced.

Cincinnati, March 30.—Whisky distillers finished goods were advanced yesterday from a basis of \$1.17 per gallon to \$1.18. This was done without any formal general agreement among producers.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Christiana Lovstrand, of Mason, Wis., created a sensation at St. Paul by threatening to kill Mayor Dorn if he did not protect her. She was pronounced insane.

The bicycle supply establishments of Frank McElish & Co. and the Barker & Harris Company at Chicago were robbed by burglars. The thieves had a wagon and carried away \$1,500 worth of goods.

A London syndicate has purchased the Jackson County, O., coal field for \$1,000,000.

Ethel McGilvray, 12 years old, while playing in a barn at Barabara, Wis., fell twenty-seven feet and sustained serious, if not fatal, injuries.

Miss Elizabeth Evans, who for twenty-seven years had been a teacher in the Chicago public schools, died Saturday in that city, aged 87.

Josef Golombewski was arrested at Thorn, Wis., charged with stealing lumber from the N. W. Lumber company's lands, and in default of \$200 bail was placed in the Thorpe jail. During the night he escaped.

Obituary: At Los Angeles, Cal., William Isip, 82. At New York, William Bond, 69. At Bloomington, Ills., Mrs. Charlotte Briggs, 75.

Captain Robert Cook, of Americans, Ga., who is at present in Boston, announces that he is making arrangements to walk on the water of the Ohio river from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati.

It is reported that the Wichita country, owned and occupied by the Kiowa, Comanche and Apache Indians, will be opened to settlers by May 1.

The first Quakers' meeting house ever established in Denver was opened Sunday.

Anos Riegers, who murdered young Boyd and his father near Mount Pleasant, Ky., last week, has been captured by the Ohio authorities.

R. K. Jordan, aged 25 years, belonging to company B, Tenth regiment, United States Infantry, stationed at Fort Reno, has been arrested on a charge of counterfeiting.

Ten Thousand Men on the Watch.

Ten thousand men line the levees between Memphis and Vicksburg watching and working with a desperation almost pitiable. The warning sent out by the weather bureau from Washington Sunday night is having its effect. Many of the inhabitants of the delta have corralled their animals on high spots of land and moved their families out of danger's reach. The situation at Memphis is about the same as on Sunday. The river continues to fall slowly, the gauge last night registering 36.2 feet. A dispatch from Gunison, Miss., says that a break in the levee is momentarily expected at Sunnyside, but it is thought this catastrophe can be averted if 150 men and material could be had at once. Accordingly 100 white men were dispatched on a special train from this city to the scene. The negroes at Camp George were offered \$1 per day and all expenses to lend a helping hand, but with one exception the offer was refused. There is much indignation among the citizens at this action of the negro refugees.

Pentitentiary Farms Involved.

Jackson, Miss., March 30.—The break in the Mississippi levee at Lake Lee involves five of the penitentiary farms, and all of them may be affected to a greater or lesser degree. Several of these places are worked on shares, and in these cases the owners furnish the equipment. The state on the places not worked in this manner in that section has about 100 miles and other property in proportion. Hon. J. J. Evans, a member of the penitentiary board of control, and Warden Walter McLeurin have returned to look after the state's interest in that locality, and to render whatever assistance they can in the way of staying the flood of water now rushing through the crevasse at a fearful rate.

ANGER IS PAST AT QUINCY.

Mississippi is Filling and the Actual Damage is Not Great.

Quincy, Ills., March 30.—The Mississippi river has fallen almost one inch in twenty-four hours, and the levees are entirely safe unless more rain falls on the upper Mississippi and the flood comes suddenly. Men have been working bare-legged night and day on levees for ninety-six hours, until the danger point is believed to be past. The bottom lands on the Missouri side are flooded and the river at a point just above the city is six miles wide. But few families have been driven out, and the actual damage is slight. Yesterday morning a special train of business men went over into the flooded district on the Omaha and Kansas City road.

For five or six miles the water came up to the track, but no danger of washouts is feared, as the line is heavily built. All the residents in the bottom lands and on the islands have been moved by barges and skiffs and have come to Quincy, but they are comparatively few. Quincy itself is fifty feet above high water mark. The record made by the raging waters of four years ago has not yet been equaled.

SIX CHILDREN LOSE THEIR LIVES.

Attempt to Ford a Creek and Are Carried Under by the Flood.

Seneca, Kan., March 30.—Six children of John McGrath, a farmer residing in the northwestern part of Nemaha county, were drowned near their home on Sunday evening while attempting to ford Pole creek, which is running bank full. The six children with their mother were riding in a heavy lumber wagon. A 14-year-old boy who was driving turned the team into the swollen stream at a point where the family had been overturned and all but the youngest swept away on the raging torrent. The mother managed to reach the bank and save herself, but all her children, ranging in age from the 14-year-old boy to a babe of 8 months, were drowned. At last reports only two of the six bodies had been recovered.

Two Persons Drowned in Texas.

Gainesville, Tex., March 30.—Miss Ruby Smith, of this city, and Richard Thompson, of Era, were found yesterday morning about five miles west of this city dead. Miss Smith left home Saturday to visit friends at Era, and was returning home accompanied by Thompson. They drove into the water, their buggy was overturned and both were drowned.

United Press Makes an Assignment.

New York, March 30.—The United Press, having its principal office in this city, at a late hour yesterday afternoon filed in the county clerk's office an assignment for the benefit of its creditors to Frederick G. Mason. Mason is the auditor of the corporation. The assignment papers are filed by Charles A. Dana, president of the corporation.

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H. V. TUTTON, M.D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in Hotel Phoenix, Benton Harbor, Mich. 11 to 11:30 a.m., 2 to 4 p.m., 7 to 9 p.m.

F. A. VOTER, M.D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office, Jones & Sonner block, Benton Harbor, Mich. 11 to 11:30 a.m., 2 to 4 p.m., 7 to 9 p.m.

E. S. ANTISDALE, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in Hotel Phoenix, Benton Harbor, Mich. 11 to 11:30 a.m., 2 to 4 p.m., 7 to 9 p.m.

C. N. SOWERS, M.D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in Hotel Phoenix, Benton Harbor, Mich. 11 to 11:30 a.m., 2 to 4 p.m., 7 to 9 p.m.

D. E. ELLEN MARIE OVATT, HOMEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN. Office and residence, 101 Pipestone street. Office hours, 9 to 11 a.m., 2 to 4 p.m., 7 to 9 p.m.

GEO. M. DELL, M.D., DISEASES OF CHILDREN. Office in Hotel Phoenix, Benton Harbor, Mich. 11 to 11:30 a.m., 2 to 4 p.m., 7 to 9 p.m.

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easier and pleasanter to live with a little music to brighten your ways now and then. Think of the instruction and culture it will bring to the children—think how they will thank you for it when they grow older. Don't think about the cost—before you commence to worry, drop in and see what we have.

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JOHN SUPPRA, Justice. W. H. Anderson.

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BENTON LODGE NO. 12, I. O. O. F., MEETS Every Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock in hall located opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited. J. M. JENKINS, N. G. GEORGE W. FALES, Secretary.

LADIES OF THE MACABREES, BENTON Division, No. 1, 114 Water Street, Benton Harbor, Mich. Regular review second and fourth Fridays in each month. LEXIA CASTALDI, Commander. MARGARET MURRAY, Rectora Keeper. INSTRUCTION. LOUIS RUCKER, FORMERLY OF THE teacher of the 23rd, 24th and 25th grades, will receive pupils in this city Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week. Headquarters, Traylor's store. 4011

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which is being received. Our spring opening will occur soon with the finest display of millinery goods ever shown in this city.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

PENELOPE at the Universalist social Friday evening.

A TEACHERS' and patrons' institute will be held at Water Street Saturday, April 10.

Dr. H. M. Crane is now thoroughly settled with his family in the residence at 386 Pipestone street.

ELIJAH KOSKINE was yesterday held to answer in the circuit court to the charge of robbery by Justice Cady.

BEN McDONALD, a guest at the Higbee hotel, fell down stairs yesterday and very seriously injured his shoulder.

BORN Monday afternoon a daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Lawrence on Winans avenue near Highland.

THE Presbyterian Sunday school class of Seely McCord will give a warm sugar social at Mr. McCord's residence on Friday night.

J. J. MILLER shipped another carload of potatoes to Chicago today. This is the sixth carload he has shipped in the past few days.

MRS. Kirby, a sister of the late W. T. Hopkins, accompanied by her daughter and brother, H. W. Hopkins, arrived last evening from Chicago.

THE democrats of Hagar township are again running Supervisor Josiah Calkins. The candidate on the republican ticket is James Pikes. The township has a republican majority of 70 but has elected a democratic supervisor at the two last spring elections.

ALL members of the Alger Guard are requested to be present at the regular drill Wednesday night as it is expected a sample uniform will be exhibited to be furnished by the state providing the company wishes them and all present will be measured if adapted.

THE funeral of the late W. T. Hopkins will occur tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from the house, 118 Washington street. Rev. W. P. French will preach the sermon. The casket will be open from 10 to 12:30 o'clock when friends will be given an opportunity to view the remains.

THAT good citizen, A. R. Nowlen, has written a letter to THE NEWS saying that he has been accused of being the author of the letter in yesterday's paper signed "A. R." but adds that while he is opposed to gambling and houses of prostitution that he has not the honor of being the author of the open letter to Mr. Miller.

THE Sunday School class of S. A. Bailey have taken time by the forelock and have arranged to give the first steamboat excursion of the season to Chicago. The first excursion usually gets the biggest crowd of the season and the profits of this enterprise will be used toward buying a bell for the Presbyterian church.

ABOUT ten o'clock this morning a horse attached to a light road cart, run away and tried to force its way through between a team and the Hotel Benton bus which was standing in front of the hotel but as the space was scarcely large enough for the horse to pass the cart and harness remained, the horse making a circle in the neighborhood of

the city hall and was finally caught with no apparent damage.

ALDERMAN Volheim while working around his forge yesterday afternoon was struck in the eye by a red hot scale of iron. Dr. Volney removed the piece of iron and it is not certain yet whether the sight of the alderman will be affected or not. The accident was very painful.

THE wave of prosperity which is predicted to deluge the land has evidently met its sprays over Benton Harbor, judging from the difficulty experienced by people in finding houses to rent. One man who has spent several days in trying to find a home for his family said this morning that he didn't believe that there were a half dozen vacant houses in the city.

UNDERTAKER J. O. Rowe sees an injustice in the law which requires the payment of 25 cents for a burial permit. In nine cases out of ten, he said, the friends of the deceased leave the undertaker to get the permit and also to pay for it. Last night he asked the council to consider and see if the 25 cents could not be lopped off.

Mrs. J. F. Willits, whose husband deserted her last fall, reported to Chief of Police Stuckey this morning that her 12-year-old son disappeared last night and judging from information he had imparted to his companions she had reason to believe that he had gone to Lansing where his aunt resides. Mrs. Willits is considerably worried over the boy's absence and urged of the officer that immediate steps be taken to obtain information concerning him.

THE lecture on "Banking breaks for Midway" given in Conkey's hall last evening was most entertaining and the few in attendance felt fully repaid for coming. Mr. Lynch is a very pleasing speaker and the stereoscopic views added greatly to the interest of the lecture as it gave one a much more definite idea of the homes and manner of living of the natives of foreign countries. An excellent view of the home of the late Robert Louis Stevenson was shown while Mr. Lynch gave a brief account of his pleasant visit there. Several of the young people took notes on the lecture and there will no doubt be a great many interesting essays.

SOCIETY'S CORNER.

What Benton Harbor People and Their Societies Are Doing.

The mock house of representatives will convene next Wednesday night at 161 Ogden avenue.

The Primary Union, of this city, will give a reception, at the Methodist church next Saturday afternoon from 2 to 3 o'clock. An exhibit is being prepared illustrative of the best methods to be adopted in promoting primary work in the Sunday schools. All who are interested in the advancement of primary departments will be benefited by inspecting the exhibit.

The Home Circle met and roll-call responses were "facts about the Golden Gate." The program was as follows: "House boat on the Styx," chapter 5 and 6, Mrs. Bowman; "Monticello," chapters 4 to 7, Mrs. Hogue; "Modern Philosophers," Mrs. Poundstone; "Questions on American History," Mrs. Watson. The next meeting of the circle will be held with Mrs. Bowman, Britain avenue.

O. N. Foster returned today from a month's visit with his son at Mahomet, Ill.

The charming comic opera, "Penelope," (pronounced Penelope and not Coothe-wee), will be given at the Universalist social at Conkey's hall Friday evening. The opera contains many gems from well known composers and is full of amusing and entertaining situations. It is being carefully rehearsed under the direction of Mrs. S. B. Van Horn and Miss Adeline Graves and its successful production is assured. The usual social including dancing will follow.

The Ladies' Guild of Holy Trinity church will meet Thursday at 2:30 p.m. with Mrs. Woodruff at the rectory, 233 Colfax avenue.

Mrs. I. E. Hewson, who has lately been the guest of friends in this city, left this morning accompanied by her daughter, Rhoda, for Mt. Pelier, Ind., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Leland.

Congregational Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Klock on Pipestone street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Come one and all.

All members of the Owl club are requested to be present at a regular meeting at the residence of Mrs. A. W. Michael on Broadway. An emblem has been presented by the auxiliary to the club and will be exhibited at the meeting tonight. The final report of the committee on constitution and by-laws will be read.

Miss Adelia Morgan, of Cleveland, Tenn., arrived in Benton Harbor yesterday and will remain here to the close of the summer season. Miss Morgan is a very capable instructor in instrumental music.

M. A. Price returned from Indiana this afternoon. He has sold his interest in the Scotch medicine company and will probably remain in Benton Harbor.

6 ft. Felt Window shades at 8 cents. 6 ft. cloth Window shades at 20 cents at the Chicago Bargain Store, 106 East Main street.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Noxa-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

SICK AND CONVALESCING.

Mrs. C. K. Farmer is confined to her bed with the grip.

Fred Seefeldt, the piano tuner, is in town and will receive analog orders left at Frenzell's music store.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Noxa-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

IN early years, how many nights, bedridden in pain, I have spent in agonizing hours, and again and again I have thought of the relief that would come from a reliable remedy. Who did not know, in instant relief, from the pain, by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills? Nor should they escape a literal cure. A liquid, burning brimstone remedy, in which to fall, here to improve through endless time for evermore. In later days have heard it too, with proud contrary, plain in view, that ancient Adam's broken lives, furnished sufficient good cause, for every soul, cheating soul, in endless hell-fire to be thrown. I've lived through years of woe and woe, and my hair shows, toward the sun. This life has been a changeling one, I mind from nearly when begun. Have striven for mine, and my good, from far standpoint, as best I could. Hence, consequence being fairly clear, I've written pain for men to fear in after life, because I do believe, that Christ is just, and true: And he will never—no say T. Surge, in even low degree, forever. 'Tis strange, that people fairly bred, can be so untrue, and misled. By black persuasive men, As to believe that after death, when life in the future shall begin, Fate more than justly made to sin, Shall be upon our soul inflicted. Or at that point, be not restricted. All who who leadeth otherwise, will doubtless, come to grief, and slights: When in that great, broad land of lost, And then, be sadly made to feel, Having committed the worst crime while in "the former life and time, Of a trifling reason,—and to tell: By preaching "eternal, endless hell." J. P. VAN DUSEN.

CAN Get Heads. EDITOR NEWS.—A report is being circulated by some parties to the effect that in case Mr. S. M. Austin, who is the candidate for city treasurer on the democratic ticket, is elected he could not furnish bonds.

As a republican and friend of Mr. Austin I would state that I have known him since boyhood and I feel, in justice to his friends and the public, that he should be defended. He has lived in and near this city for over 30 years and has always borne a good reputation and as a business man there is no merchant who ever did business here who has more friends.

As an alderman he was praised by both those who voted for and against him and only increase in the republican ranks defeated him. It is Mr. Austin's honesty and generosity that caused his late business calamity and not absence of ability or fidelity on his part, and if any man needs the office he does.

This report has not benefited his opponent's chances as I, as well as others will resent it by casting our votes for him.

I saw two gentlemen today whose reputation and financial responsibility have been in this city, who will become his sureties if he is elected. A REPUBLICAN.

Evening News and K. P. cigars.

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MICHIGAN'S FAVORITE CIGAR
LARGE SIZE 10¢ STRAIGHT-MEDIUM SIZE 3¢ FOR 25¢.
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36 inch English Henriettes, at 12 c	48 in French platted Henriettes, at 29 c
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36 inch French platted Henriettes, 11 c	50 in all wool fine Serge, at 39 c
36 inch all wool French Serge, at 25 c	48 in Brillantes, at 39 c
40 inch heavy Mohair cloth, at 49 c	40 inch all wool fine Brocade, at 40 c
48 inch all wool fine French Serge, 39 c	40 inch silk finished Serge, at 69 c
48 inch silk finished Serge, at 75 c	50 inch silk finished Serge, at 89 c
48 inch all wool fine Brocade, at 59 c	50 inch fine French Jacquards, at 79 c
40 inch fine Mohair Brocade, at 59 c	40 in all wool French Novelties, at 99 c
48 inch fine Jacquards, at 59 c	40 inch Crepons, at \$1.00
48 inch fine French Jacquards, at 75 c	40 inch Brocade Empress, at 99 c

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Fancy Plaids and check suitings 14c
36 inch Scotch Suitings, at 25c
48 in two toned Novelty Suitings, 29c
40 in all wool Basket Check, 39c
36 in platted Henriettes, at 11c
40 in silk mixed Fancy checked, 39c
45 in all wool French Covert, at 59c

26 inch fine Shepherd's Plaids, at 29c
38 inch all wool Shepherd's Plaids 39c
40 in all wool fine suitings, at 44c
40 in two toned Basket Check, at 29c
48 inch silk finished Serge, at 49c
40 in all wool Scotch Bicycle suitings 44c
40 in all wool two toned suitings at 39c

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20c French Selicins, at 15c
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